



AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION
EXPEDITED HANDLING REQUESTED - GAU 1634

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
MICHAEL R. BOWMAN	:	Examiner: Jeffrey Norman Fredman
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Application No.: 09/921,994	:	Group Art Unit: 1634
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Filed: August 3, 2001	:	
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For: NOVEL EBI-3-ALT PROTEIN	:	
AND NUCLEIC ACID	:	
MOLECULES AND USES)	
THEREFOR	:	November 13, 2003

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated July 14, 2003 to November 14, 2003. A check in the amount of \$110.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension in connection with this paper, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

In response to the Office Action dated July 14, 2003 (unnumbered paper), please amend the application as follows:

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01 FC:1251	110.00 OP
02 FC:1203	290.00 OP
03 FC:1202	18.00 OP